

## **Appendix 10.2**

**Assessment of Heritage Assets within the Site Boundary** 



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Heritage Asset No.	Ref Number	Heritage Asset Name	Designation	Setting and Assessment	No. of tips visible (Zone of Theoretical Visibility (ZTV))	hubs visible	Distance to nearest wind turbine location (metres (m))	Magnitude of impact	Significance of Effect	Viewpoint Figure (where applicable)
Undesign	nated Assets									
93	N/A	Fell Sheep Ree	Undesignated Asset	The sheep ree is located in a small clearing at the edge of a riding within the commercial forestry plantation of Carrick Forest. The setting of the enclosure is dominated with commercial forestry plantation and the upland moorland within which it is located. Key views from the sheep ree are probably along the former road that passed in close proximity to the sheep ree but is now hidden by forestry activity.  Current views in all directions are dominated by commercial forestry plantation. The infrastructure of the Proposed Development would be visible from the sheep ree but intervening localised vegetation would significantly reduce this visibility.	13	12	370m	Minor Adverse	Neutral	N/A
				The magnitude of impact has been assessed as Minor Adverse on an asset of Low value, with slight changes to setting with the introduction of infrastructure in immediate views west through to south east. Intervening and localised vegetation would likely impact on some of these views. These changes would not impact on the ability to understand and appreciate the sheep ree and its current setting. As such the significance of effect has been assessed as <b>Neutral</b> .						
95	N/A	Linfairn to Burnside Footpath	Undesignated Asset	The path passes through the commercial forestry plantation of Carrick Forest and has been truncated in several places by the forestry activity. It is dominated by the commercial forestry on all sides and key views are probably along the path where there is visibility, and views towards any Post-Medieval agricultural structures in proximity to it.  Current views in all directions are curtailed by the commercial forestry plantation. The infrastructure of the Proposed Development would be visible from the path in various locations but intervening localised vegetation would significantly reduce this visibility.  The magnitude of impact has been assessed as Minor Adverse on an asset of Low value, with slight changes to setting with the introduction of infrastructure in close proximity to some areas of the path. Intervening and localised vegetation would impact on some of these views. These changes would not impact on the ability to understand and appreciate the path and its current setting. As such the significance of effect has been assessed as <b>Neutral</b> .	13	13	150m	Minor Adverse	Neutral	N/A
97	N/A	Linfern Loch Wall (1)	Undesignated Asset	The wall is located to the immediate north east of the forestry track, set within the commercial forestry plantation, which dominates its setting. The infrastructure related to the Proposed Development has the potential to remove a section of wall.  During operation, the magnitude of impact has been assessed as No Change on an asset of Negligible value, with no changes to the setting of the wall after its removal. As such the significance of effect has been assessed as <b>Neutral</b> .	13	13	80m	No Change	Neutral	N/A
99	N/A	Stob Hill Sheep Ree	Undesignated Asset	The sheep ree is located at the southern edge of the forestry track and its setting is dominated by the commercial forestry plantation within which it is located.  Current views in all directions are dominated by commercial forestry plantation. The infrastructure of the Proposed Development would be visible from the sheep ree with the upgraded access tracks and wind turbines in views along these tracks unlikely to be visible considering the localised screening and filtering by the localised vegetation.	13	13	400m	Minor Adverse	Neutral	N/A

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				The magnitude of impact has been assessed as Minor Adverse on an asset of Low value, with slight changes to setting with the introduction of infrastructure in close proximity to some areas of the path. Intervening and localised vegetation would impact on some of these views. These changes would not impact on the ability to understand and appreciate the sheep ree and its current setting. As such the significance of effect has been assessed as <b>Neutral</b> .						
100	N/A	Linfern Loch Wall (2)	Undesignated Asset	The wall is located to the south west of a modern borrow pit, enclosed by the commercial forestry plantation along the majority of its length.	13	13	120m	Negligible Adverse	Neutral	N/A
				The infrastructure of the Proposed Development would be visible from a number of locations along the length of the wall but these views would be screened and filtered by localised vegetation.						
				The magnitude of impact has been assessed as Negligible Adverse to an asset of Negligible value, with very minor changes to setting with the introduction of infrastructure in the surrounding area. These changes would not impact on the ability to understand and appreciate the wall and its current setting. As such the significance of effect has been assessed as <b>Neutral</b> .						
102	N/A	Stob Hill Walls	Undesignated Asset	The walls are located within ridings through the commercial forestry plantation and their setting is currently dominated with its presence.	13	13	50m	Negligible Adverse	Neutral	N/A
				The infrastructure of the Proposed Development would be visible from a number of locations along the length of the walls but would be screened and filtered by localised vegetation.						
				The magnitude of impact has been assessed as Negligible Adverse to an asset of Negligible value, with very minor changes to setting with the introduction of infrastructure in the surrounding area. These changes would not impact on the ability to understand and appreciate the walls and their current setting. As such the significance of effect has been assessed as <b>Neutral</b> .						
104	N/A	Stinchar Ford Wall	Undesignated Asset	The wall is located to the south west of a modern borrow pit, enclosed by the commercial forestry plantation along the majority of its length.	13	13	480m	Negligible Adverse	Neutral	N/A
				The infrastructure of the Proposed Development would be visible from a number of locations along the length of the wall but any views would be screened and filtered by localised vegetation.						
				The magnitude of impact has been assessed as Negligible Adverse to an asset of Negligible value, with very minor changes to setting with the introduction of infrastructure in the surrounding area. These changes would not impact on the ability to understand and appreciate the wall and its current setting. As such the significance of effect has been assessed as <b>Neutral</b> .						

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